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POLISH PRESIDENT ACCORDED ROUSING RECEPTION IN RAWALPINDI

RAWALPINDI, October 29. - The President of Poland was given a warm welcome when he arrived in Rawalpindi today on a 5-day state visit to Pakistan.

He was greeted at the airport by President Yahya Khan and the two heads of state warmly shook hands and exchanged greetings. Also present at the airport were the members of the Presidential cabinet, heads of diplomatic missions, senior officials and prominent citizens who were introduced to the visiting dignitary.

A 21-gun salute heralded the arrival of the Polish President who later inspected a guard of honour presented by a detachment of the armed forces.

The national anthems of the two countries were played. From the airport, the President of Poland, accompanied by President Yahya Khan, drove to the President's guest house. Large crowds greeted him all along the decorated route.

The Polish President, who is accompanied by his wife is attending a banquet being given in his honour this evening by the President of Pakistan.

Formal talks between the two heads of state are due to take place tomorrow. The subjects to be discussed include bilateral relations including trade and economic ties between Pakistan and Poland and the international situation.

The President's entourage includes two senior officials of the Polish Council of State, three Ministers and two members of the Polish Academy of Sciences.

The Polish President visited the Institute of Nuclear Science and Technology at Nylore near Islamabad this afternoon. He went round various departments of the Institute and appreciated the research work being done by Pakistani scientists. As a token of his appreciation, he presented a scientific instrument to the Institute. Earlier, the Polish President planted a sapling at the Shikarparian hill and had a panoramic view of Islamabad.

The wife of the Polish President visited the photographic exhibition on Polish ports and ship-building now being held at the Pakistan Arts Council in Rawalpindi.

CHINESE TRADE DELEGATION LEAVES FOR SINKIANG

GILGIT, October 29.-The 4-member Chinese trade delegation has left Gilgit for Sinkiang by the historic silk route after a 2-day stay. The delegation was in Gilgit to exchange .....

exchange goods in pursuance of the border trade agreement between Pakistan and China.

MALAYSIAN COMMERCE MINISTER CALLS ON INDUSTRIES MINISTER

ISLAMABAD, October 29. - A visiting Malaysian Minister for Commerce and Industries, Tun Haji Mohammad Zohri, called on the Industries Minister, Mr. Hafizuddin in Islamabad today.

During the meeting lasting over an hour, the two Ministers discussed the possibilities of further cooperation by their countries in the economic and technical fields.

PHILIPPINO ECONOMIC DELEGATION ARRIVES IN DACCA

DACCA, October 29. - A 5-member economic delegation from the Philippines arrived in Dacca today headed by the Chairman of the Summit Committee of Banking.

The delegation will meet heads of autonomous bodies and other officials during its 3-day stay in the province.

PERMANENT INDUS COMMISSION MEETING

ISLAMABAD, October 29. - The 6-day meeting of the permanent Indus Commission ended in Islamabad today. It reviewed matters of mutual interest including the supply of data regarding the works completed for planned on the Indus system of rivers. The Commission will finalise its report at its next meeting in New Delhi sometime next May.

ELECTION COMMISSION CHIEF DISCUSSES PROPOSED CODE OF CONDUCT DURING ELECTIONS

DACCA, October 29. - In Dacca, the Chief Election Commissioner, Mr. Justice Abdus Sattar, today had a meeting with leaders and representatives of a number of political parties.

He discussed with them matters relating to the proposed code of conduct to be pursued during the coming elections. The parties represented at the meeting include the Awami League, the Pakistan Muslim League (Qayyum Group), the National Awami Party (Wali Khan Group), the Krishak Sramik Party, the Jamiatul Ulema-i-Islam and the Pakistan National Congress.

A spokesman of the Election Commission told Radio Pakistan's representative that the Chief Election Commissioner

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was to have further discussions in Dacca on Saturday with leaders and representatives of these political parties as well as those which could not attend today's meeting.

MUFTI MAHMUD ADVOCATES ISLAMIC WAY OF LIFE

KARACHI, October 29. - The General Secretary of the All Pakistan Jamiatul Ulema-i-Islam, Maulana Mufti Mahmud, has said Islam is a complete code of life which provides an ideal solution not only to the problems facing Pakistan but also to all the ills of humanity.

Speaking at the programme of political broadcasts over the Radio and Television net works this evening, he said his party aims at establishing the Islamic way of life to make Pakistan a model for the rest of the world. He said the importance that Islam attaches to the collective good of humanity is evident from the fact that a Muslim must be ready to sacrifice for ~~others everything~~ dearest to him.

Mufti Mahmud said his party aims at ensuring the sovereignty of God and introducing a constitution based on the Quran and the Sunnah. In reiterating the order envisaged by the party the entire social set up will get rid of all ill-gotten means and reorganised on legitimate foundations. Such a system will permit the ownership of rightfully acquired property, remove economic disparities and ensure a fair deal to all classes of people including farmers, workers, students and others.

The Jamiatul Ulema-i-Islam leader said national solidarity and stability could be strengthened only by strict adherence to Islamic principles in all political and economic matters.

He also underlined the importance which his party attaches to the unity of the entire Muslim world. Mufti Mahmud reaffirmed his party's whole-hearted support to the Arabs' struggle against Israel and foreign imperialist influences as also the freedom struggle of the Kashmiri people.

It was his party's belief that only a stable and strong Government in Pakistan based on Islamic principles could effectively help freedom struggles.

SABUR URGES TO REPAIR SCHOOL BUILDINGS IN CYCLONE AFFECTED AREAS

DACCA, October 29. - The General Secretary of the Pakistan Muslim League (Qayyum), Mr. Abdus Sabur Khan, has appealed to the Government for immediate financial assistance for repairs of the school buildings damaged in the recent cyclone in East Pakistan.

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In a statement in Dacca today he said most of the schools where polling booths will be located, have been demolished by the cyclone. He said either the schools should be repaired before the date of the general elections or alternate sites should be selected for the polling booths.

MUSLIM LEAGUE (COUNCIL) AIDE FOR ISLAMIC CONSTITUTION

RANGPUR, October 29. - The General Secretary of the Pakistan Muslim League (Council), Mr. Abul Kassem, has said his party stands for an Islamic constitution and an ideal Islamic welfare state where every section of people will be happy. He was addressing a public meeting at Alipur near Rangpur.

WEST PAKISTAN MUSLIM LEAGUE (COUNCIL) CHIEF ADVOCATES ISLAMIC WELFARE STATE

LAHORE, October 29. - The President of the West Pakistan Muslim League (Council), Mr. Yahya Bakhtiar, has said the country's problems can be tackled only by establishing an Islamic welfare state. He was addressing a public meeting at a place in Loralia district.

NAP (WALI) AIDE PLEADS FOR SOCIALISM

COMILLA, October 29. - Addressing a public meeting in Lachim Chandi, the Vice President of the East Pakistan NAP (Wali Khan Group), Mr. Ataur Rahman, said the gap between the rich and the poor could be bridged only through socialism. He urged the people to cast their votes carefully.

JAMAAT-I-ISLAMI AIDE ASSURES TO ROOT OUT CORRUPTION

LARKANA, October 29. - The Sind Jamaat-i-Islami Chief, Maulana Jan Mohammad Abbasi, told a public meeting at a place in Larkana district that if his party were returned to power, it would root out favouritism and corruption. Every citizen will be ensured the basic necessities of life.

VOTERS IN AZAD KASHMIR EMPLOYED BY PUNJAB GOVERNMENT ALLOWED OPTIONAL HOLIDAYS TO CAST VOTES

LAHORE, October 29. - The Punjab Government has decided that all its employees belonging to the Azad Kashmir area may be allowed to avail of optional holiday tomorrow and on Saturday on account of Presidential and Assembly elections of Azad Kashmir. This holiday will be allowed to those employees who have to cast their votes on these days.

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IDB SANCTIONS ₰. 1.87 MILLION FOR BALUCHISTAN

QUETTA, October 29. - The Industrial Development Bank of Pakistan has sanctioned a loan of ₰. 1.87 million for the industrial development of Baluchistan. The decision was announced in Quetta today after the first ever meeting of the Board of Directors of the Bank in the city. A spokesman of the Bank told Radio Pakistan's representative that out of the total amount sanctioned a little more than 1.47 million dollars are in foreign currency. He said the loan would used for the setting up of a textile mill and a tannery and for the development of specialised textiles.

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